

**MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST
DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM**

Property Name: Wolfrom House (Fringer Tavern) Inventory Number: BA-1854

Address: 11510 Hanover Road (MD 30) Historic district: yes ☒ no

City: Fowblesburg/Upperco Zip Code: _____ County: Baltimore County

USGS Quadrangle(s): Hampstead

Property Owner: _____ Tax Account ID Number: _____

Tax Map Parcel Number(s): _____ Tax Map Number: _____

Project: _____ Agency: _____

Agency Prepared By: _____

Preparer's Name: _____ Date Prepared: _____

Documentation is presented in: federal files

Preparer's Eligibility Recommendation: X Eligibility recommended Eligibility not recommended

Criteria: A B ☒ C D Considerations: A B C D E F G

Complete if the property is a contributing or non-contributing resource to a NR district/property:

Name of the District/Property: _____

Inventory Number: _____ Eligible: yes Listed: yes

Site visit by MHT Staff yes ☒ no Name: _____ Date: _____

Description of Property and Justification: *(Please attach map and photo)*

Significance: This building is significant as an excellent example of a substantial brick farmhouse of the mid-nineteenth century.

Description: This 1-1/2 story brick house is 5 bays wide and 2 bays deep and faces east. A half hipped, 1 story porch with chamfered posts and scrollwork brackets span the principal (east) façade. [See form for more description]

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST REVIEW

Eligibility recommended ☒ Eligibility not recommended

Criteria: A B C D Considerations: A B C D E F G

MHT Comments: Federal DOE

SHPO

Reviewer, Office of Preservation Services

Date

Beth L. Savage, for Keeper NR

Monday, June 24, 1985

Reviewer, National Register Program

Date

Thursday, May 27, 2004

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

J. Wolf from House/Fringer Tavern

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

West side of Maryland Route 30

CITY, TOWN

Fowblesburg

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

☒ VICINITY OF

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Baltimore

3 CLASSIFICATION**CATEGORY**☐ DISTRICT☒ BUILDING(S)☐ STRUCTURE☐ SITE☐ OBJECT**OWNERSHIP**☐ PUBLIC☒ PRIVATE☐ BOTH**PUBLIC ACQUISITION**☐ IN PROCESS☐ BEING CONSIDERED**STATUS**☒ OCCUPIED☐ UNOCCUPIED☐ WORK IN PROGRESS**ACCESSIBLE**☐ YES: RESTRICTED☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED☒ NO**PRESENT USE**☐ AGRICULTURE☐ COMMERCIAL☐ EDUCATIONAL☐ ENTERTAINMENT☐ GOVERNMENT☐ INDUSTRIAL☐ MILITARY☐ MUSEUM☐ PARK☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE☐ RELIGIOUS☐ SCIENTIFIC☐ TRANSPORTATION☐ OTHER**4 OWNER OF PROPERTY**

NAME

Telephone #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

☐ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTIONCOURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

STATE

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCALDEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CONDITION		CHECK ONE	CHECK ONE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT	<input type="checkbox"/> DETERIORATED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNALTERED	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ORIGINAL SITE
<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD	<input type="checkbox"/> RUINS	<input type="checkbox"/> ALTERED	<input type="checkbox"/> MOVED DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR	<input type="checkbox"/> UNEXPOSED		

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This 2½ story brick house is five bays wide, two rooms deep, and faces east. A half-hipped, one-story porch with chamfered posts and scroll-work brackets and pendants spans the principal (east) facade. The central entrance has a paneled surround with a simple transom and sidelights, and is flanked by floor-to-ceiling 2/2 sash windows. The second story have five 2/2 sash windows aligned over the openings below. All the aforementioned openings have flat arches. A central cross gable holds a 4/4 window set in a pointed arch. Brick is laid in stretcher bond. Two corbeled interior end chimneys rise from the ridge of the standing-seam metal roof.

The east (gable) facade has two 2/2 sash windows on the first and second stories, with two smaller sash windows lighting the attic. This gable is painted red.

A two-story ell extends to the rear. Southeast of the house stands a small 1½ story outbuilding whose novelty siding may conceal log construction.

This site is indicated as the residence of J. Wolfrom on J. Sidney's 1850 map of the city and county of Baltimore (Baltimore:James M. Stephens, publisher). Hopkins' 1877 atlas indicates this site as a tavern belonging to Henry Fringer.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE

PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1400-1499	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION	<input type="checkbox"/> LAW	<input type="checkbox"/> SCIENCE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1500-1599	<input type="checkbox"/> AGRICULTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> ECONOMICS	<input type="checkbox"/> LITERATURE	<input type="checkbox"/> SCULPTURE	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1600-1699	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION	<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY	<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1700-1799	<input type="checkbox"/> ART	<input type="checkbox"/> ENGINEERING	<input type="checkbox"/> MUSIC	<input type="checkbox"/> THEATER	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1800-1899	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMERCE	<input type="checkbox"/> EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> PHILOSOPHY	<input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1900-	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/> INDUSTRY	<input type="checkbox"/> POLITICS/GOVERNMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (SPECIFY)	
		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

This building is significant as an excellent example of a substantial brick farmhouse of the mid-19th century.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Peter E. Kurtze & Peggy Bruns Weissman, Historic Sites Surveyors

ORGANIZATION

DATE

Maryland Historical Trust

November 30, 1979

STREET & NUMBER

TELEPHONE

Shaw House, 21 State Circle

269-2438

CITY OR TOWN

STATE

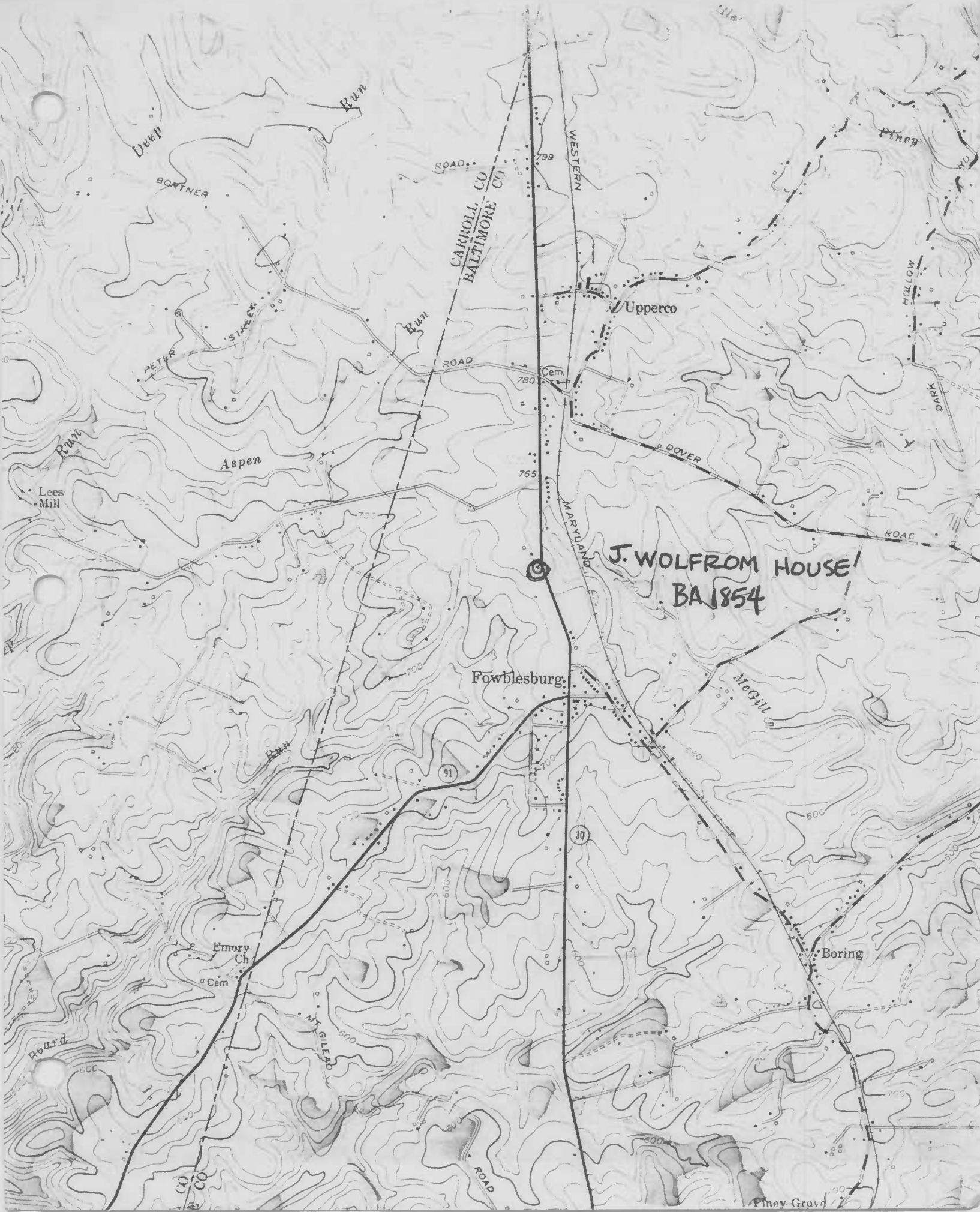
Annapolis

Maryland

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
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Annapolis, Maryland 21401
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Breck Farmhouse
West side of Md. Rte 30
Fowblesburg vicinity